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Attention: Madeleine B. Johnson

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Ladies and Gentlemen:

Our office has received a request, from the Presiding Judge of the Harris County Justice Courts, which asks in substance the following questions:

- 1. Who is allowed, under Tex. R. Civ. P. 536, to serve process by registered or certified mail and citation by publication in justice of the peace court cases?
- 2. What fee should be charged if service of process by registered or certified mail is made by the clerk of the justice court?

Please furnish us with your opinion on the questions presented. A Memorandum Brief is enclosed.

Sincerely,

MIKE DRISCOLL

B. Assistant County Attorney

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